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Coordinator for Academic Relations Central Intelligence Agency Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Jim:

In response to your letter of October 31, I do, of course, recall with great satisfaction my visit to your headquarters last March. Certainly, the visit was helpful to me; I learned a great deal. It is not surprising to me that you have received a request for copies of the invitation letter and schedule. I guess this kind of thing is to be expected these days, and I have no objection whatsoever to release of such letters as they apply to my visit. I agree with you that visits to the Agency are beneficial both to the universities and, hopefully, to you.

It was good to hear from you again.

Please give my best regards to Stan Turner.

Sincerely yours,

John R. Hogness

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Dear Jim:

Certainly I have no objection to your release of any information concerning my visit to the Agency on March 10.

For me it was an altogether informative and constructive visit. I came away with a great appreciation of the role the Agency is playing, and must continue to play, to protect the security and welfare of the United States of America, particularly in the kind of world in which we live today.

I was impressed especially with the academic qualifications and academic manner of those specialists on the Middle East with whom I met. Their approach seemed to me to be altogether scholarly as they prepared studies as the bases for possible future policy decisions.

Sincerely,

Henry **W**ng Stanford

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